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SUBJECT: Change to Department of Defense Financial Management
Regulation, Volume 7, Part A (DoDFMR Vol 7A), Savings
Deposit Program for Operation Joint Guard
(DFAS Item G-14)

This is a revision to Interim Change Number 14-97 to the
DoDFMR, Volume 7A. This change is effective January 1, 1997.
The April 23, 1997 and May 9, 1997 memoranda are hereby
rescinded.

The attached final version of the change includes your
comments where appropriate.

Also attached is the bibliographies memorandum issued
March 20, 1997, by the Assistant Secretary of Defense, which
authorizes deposits to the Savings Deposit Program (SDI)
effective January 1, 1997, for members serving on the Operation
JOINT GUARD contingency operation.

We have determined that this policy change does not require
a system or procedural change to the current pay system.

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Attachments:
As stated

cc: ASD (FMP)
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Service Liaisons

1. Add new paragraph 510107 to read as follows:

"Operation Joint Guard. The period beginning on January 1, 1997. Generally, members serving on Operation Joint Guard outside the United States or its possessions are eligible for SDP. The area of eligibility consists of the total land area of Bosnia-Herzegovina, Croatia, Serbia, Montenegro, Slovenia, Macedonia, Hungary, and the air space there over, or the waters of the Adriatic Sea north of 40 Degrees N."

2. Add new paragraph 510204 to read as follows:

"Effective January 1, 1997, members of the armed forces serving on Operation Joint Guard outside the United States or its possessions are authorized to make deposits of unallotted current pay and allowances payable after January 1, 1997."

3. Renumber current paragraph 510204 as "510205".

4. Revise Column C Rule 5, of Table 51-1 to read as follows:

"the member...contingency operation (note 6, 9 and 10)."

5. Table 51-1, add note 10 to read as follows:

"10. See paragraph 510107 for Operation Joint Guard eligibility criteria and effective date."

6. Revise Column A, Rule 5 of Table 51-1 to read as follows:

"...(as defined in Definitions)", vice "...designated by the Secretary of Defense"

7. Revise Column A, Rule 7 of Table 51-2 to read as follows:

"is assigned to duty....(as defined in Definitions) (note 5,6)"

8. Revise Column B, Rule 7 of Table 51-2 to read as follows:

"is on TDY or TAD...(as defined in Definitions) for a period of 90 days (note 5,6)"

9. Table 51-2, add note 6 to read as follows:

"See paragraph 510107 for Operation Joint Guard contingency operation designation, eligibility criteria, and effective date for deposits."

10. Bibliography, Chapter 51, Definitions, add:
"510107 ASD Memo, 20 Mar 1997"